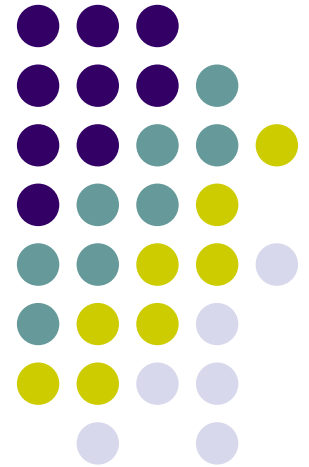


Overview of April 2006 MHISOAC Meeting

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April OAC Meeting Learning Objectives- Thursday Afternoon



- Commissioners will increase knowledge base about California's traditional mental health financing
- Commissioners will learn about financing challenges facing counties as they attempt to build recovery oriented systems with MHSA
- Commissioners will learn how County Mental Health Directors are addressing financing challenges, specifically in 3 Strategic Directions of MHSOAC (reducing disparities; increasing partnerships; & making mental health relevant to the public)

April OAC Meeting Learning Objectives- Thursday Afternoon



- Commissioners will be offered recommendations from the CMHPC to address CA mental health financing challenges.
- Commissioners will tour a model Wellness Recovery Center and learn about best practice Wellness Recovery Center models.

April OAC Meeting Learning Objectives- Friday Morning



- Commissioners will learn about client and family member perspectives on potential role of MH SOAC in addressing mh financing challenges and building recovery oriented systems.
- Commissioners will learn and provide comment on recent MHSA Implementation Issues
- Commissioners will have opportunity to learn and provide comment on other available service funds and their role in creating priorities for these funds

April OAC Meeting Learning Objectives- Friday Morning



- Commissioners will learn about MHSA Regulations development and its impact on MHSOAC role
- Commissioners will learn and provide feedback to DMH about Community Service and Support Plans: Year 2 Annual Updates
- Commissioners to get updates from active MHSOAC Committees: CSS, Prevention, Cultural and Linguistic Competence

April OAC Meeting Learning Objectives- Friday Morning



- Commissioners to learn about initiation of all other MHSOAC Committees
- Commissioners to meet/learn about recently contracted, long-term MHSOAC Committee Consultants
- Commissioners to hear from the public about April Meeting issues as well as other issues of MHSA implementation

April OAC Meeting Action Items-Friday Afternoon



- Commission to deliberate and take action on its appropriate role in relation to the financing challenges that impact MHSA success
- Commission to deliberate and identify a process for identifying “Other Available Service Fund Priorities”
- Commission to vote on BCP, 2006-2007
- Commission to vote on proposed MHSOAC Executive Committee

What topics are coming up for MHSOAC Monthly Meetings?



- Ongoing education about prevention, specifically in area of children's mental health
- Ongoing education about preventive mental health services offered within school settings, juvenile/criminal justice settings.
- Hearing on approaches to stigma reduction
- Hearing on foster care

What topics are coming up for MHSOAC Monthly Meetings?



- Hearing on co-occurring disorders and collaboration with organizations treating co-occurring disorders
- Improving Native American access within the Mental Health Services Act
- Development of FY 06-07 Work Plan
- Development of Recommended Guidelines for Prevention/Early Intervention and Innovative Programs
- Identification of key public policy issues